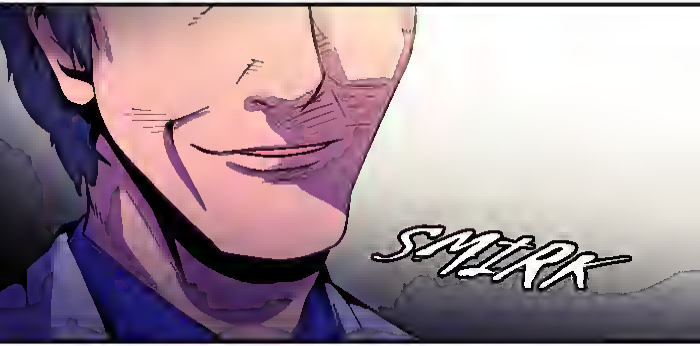
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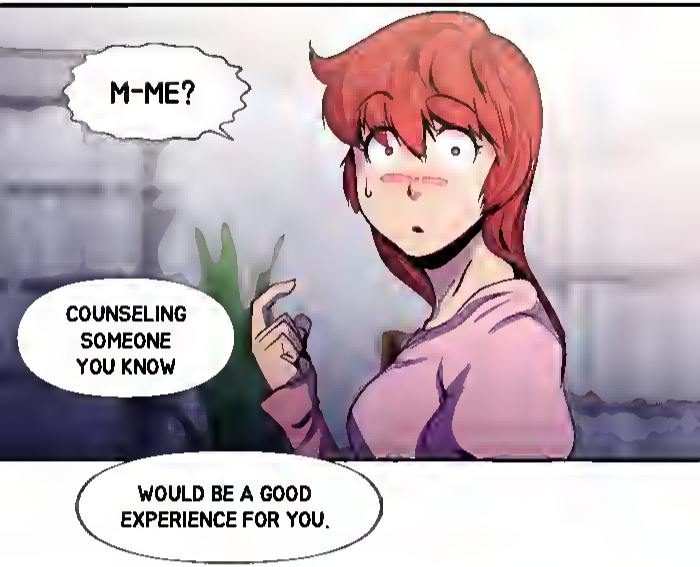
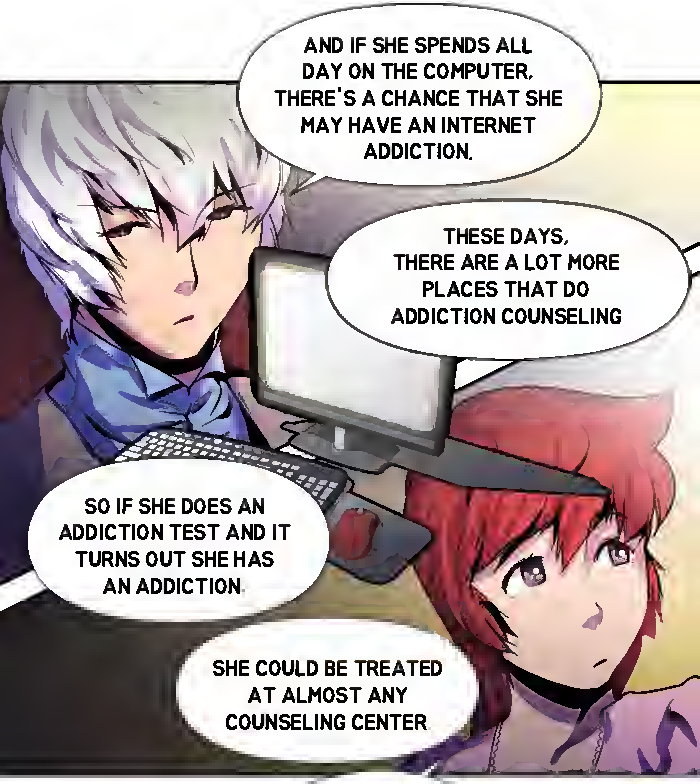

M-ME?
COUNSELING SOMEONE YOU KNOW
WOULD BE A GOOD EXPERIENCE FOR YOU.

PROFESSOR, BY ANY CHANCE
HAVE YOU EVER TREATED A HIKIKOMORI BEFORE? SOMEONE WHO NEVER LEAVES THEIR HOUSE.
HM?
AH~ LIKE A RECLUSIVE LONER KIND OF THING?


AND IF SHE SPENDS ALL DAY ON THE COMPUTER, THERE'S A CHANCE THAT SHE MAY HAVE AN INTERNET ADDICTION.
THESE DAYS, THERE ARE A LOT MORE PLACES THAT DO ADDICTION COUNSELING
SO IF SHE DOES AN ADDICTION TEST AND IT TURNS OUT SHE HAS AN ADDICTION
SHE COULD BE TREATED AT ALMOST ANY COUNSELING CENTER
HEHE- I SEE.

.....

WHEN DID YOU GET HERE?
WOW- WOW-
I JUST GOT BACK I HAVE A PROFESSOR'S MEETING TODAY
IS PROFESSOR OH HERE?
AH, THE COUNSELING PROFESSOR CHANGED-
REALLY? WHO IS IT NOW?
TOO EASY
DING~

PROFESSOR BAEK
IS... HERE?
BUT WHY...??
HE'S NOT ACTUALLY A COUNSELOR HERE, RIGHT?

NARI-
NARI-

I JUST...
WANNA STUDY AT HOME...

LET'S SEE...
COULD THIS BE ASSISTANT YOON FROM OUR PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT?
HOW'VE YOU BEEN?
PROFESSOR SONG!!!

SHALL I GO SEE MY PRETTY LITTLE FRIEND FIRST?
HMPH-
KNOCK KNOCK
UGH-

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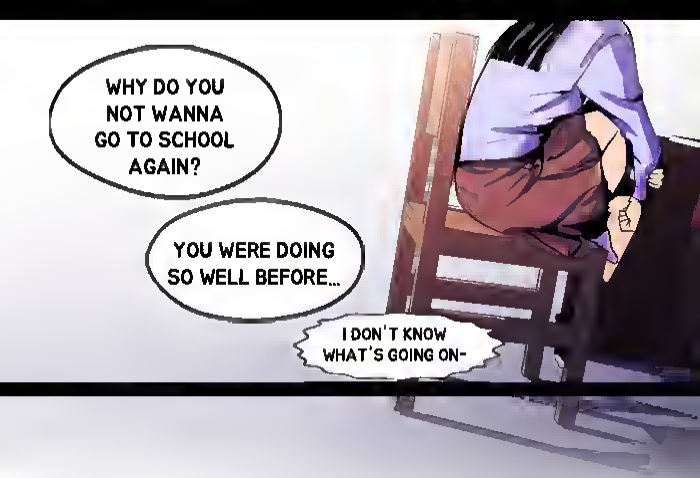
YEAH,
JUST LIKE
THAT.....

BUT WHY ARE WE CROSS-STITCHING ALL OF A SUDDEN?
DIDN'T I TELL YOU?
MEDITATION ISN'T THE ONLY WAY OF QUIETLY REFLECTING ON YOURSELF.
WHEN YOU GET STUCK ON A REPORT
TRY DOING THIS INSTEAD OF PLAYING GAMES.
YEAH YEAH

HE'S THE NEW PROFESSOR-
OH SHOOT, I'M LATE FOR MY MEETING
I'D BETTER GO SAY HI TO PROFESSOR CHUN

AH, DON'T PULL TOO HARD ON IT.
FLING!!!
YOU'VE GOTTA PULL THE WHOLE THREAD WITH THE SAME STRENGTH.
THAT WAY THE PATTERN WILL TURN OUT EVEN
HM... THIS IS HARD IN A VERY DIFFERENT WAY FROM KNITTING

YOU'VE GOTTA GO TO SCHOOL-!!
COME ON NOW- OPEN THE DOOR



COME ON- NARI!! IT'S OKAY IF YOU'RE LATE!!

TIME TO GO TO SCHOOL!!

YOU CAN TELL ME IF SOMETHING'S WRONG!

I'VE GOTTA WORK HARDER
AND STOP PLAYING GAMES...

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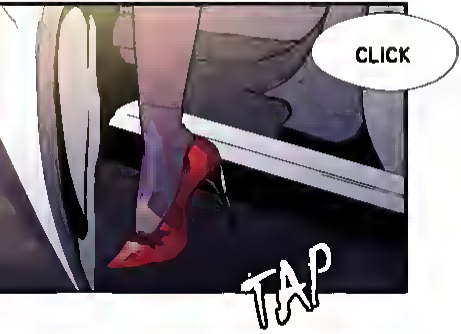
PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT
CONFERENCE ROOM
AH... AND IT LOOKS LIKE WE'LL BE GETTING
THE RESEARCH FUNDS JUST AS I TOLD YOU BEFORE NEXT.....

PROFESSOR CHUN
WHY IS PROFESSOR BAEK HERE?
UGH...
STARE

I'LL MAKE SOME TIME
SO WE CAN HAVE TEA TOGETHER. ASSISTANT YOON
SOUNDS GOOD, PROFESSOR SONG-
HEHE
.....
GLICK-

THEN THERE'S THAT NEW GUY
YOU KNOW, FROST OR WHATEVER HIS NAME IS
HE DIDN'T EVEN BOTHER TO SHOW UP TODAY
I WAS GONNA SAY- SURELY HE CAN'T BE THAT BUSY WITH THE COUNSELING CENTER
HAHA
W-WHAT?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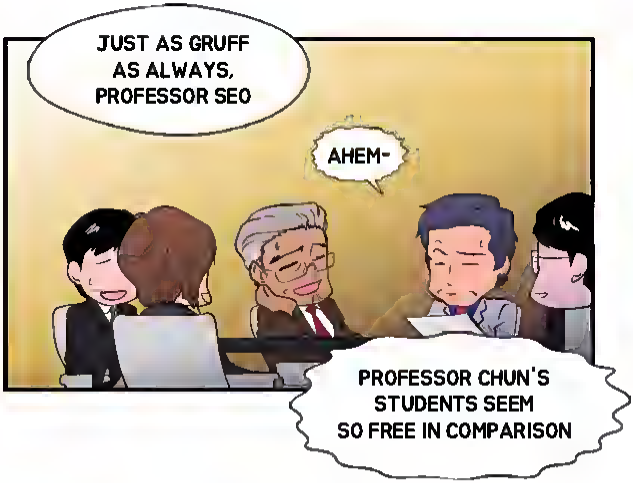
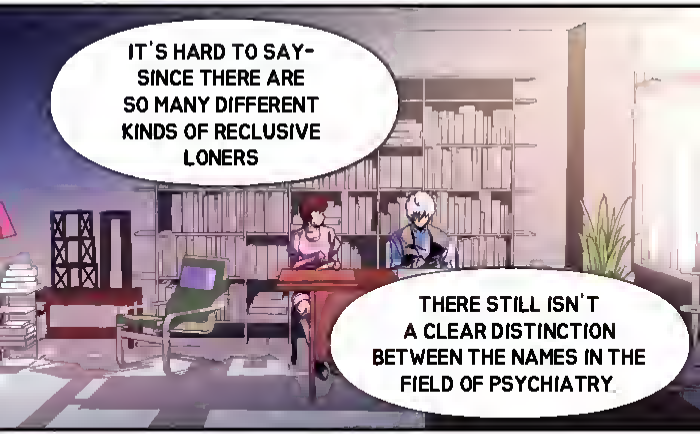
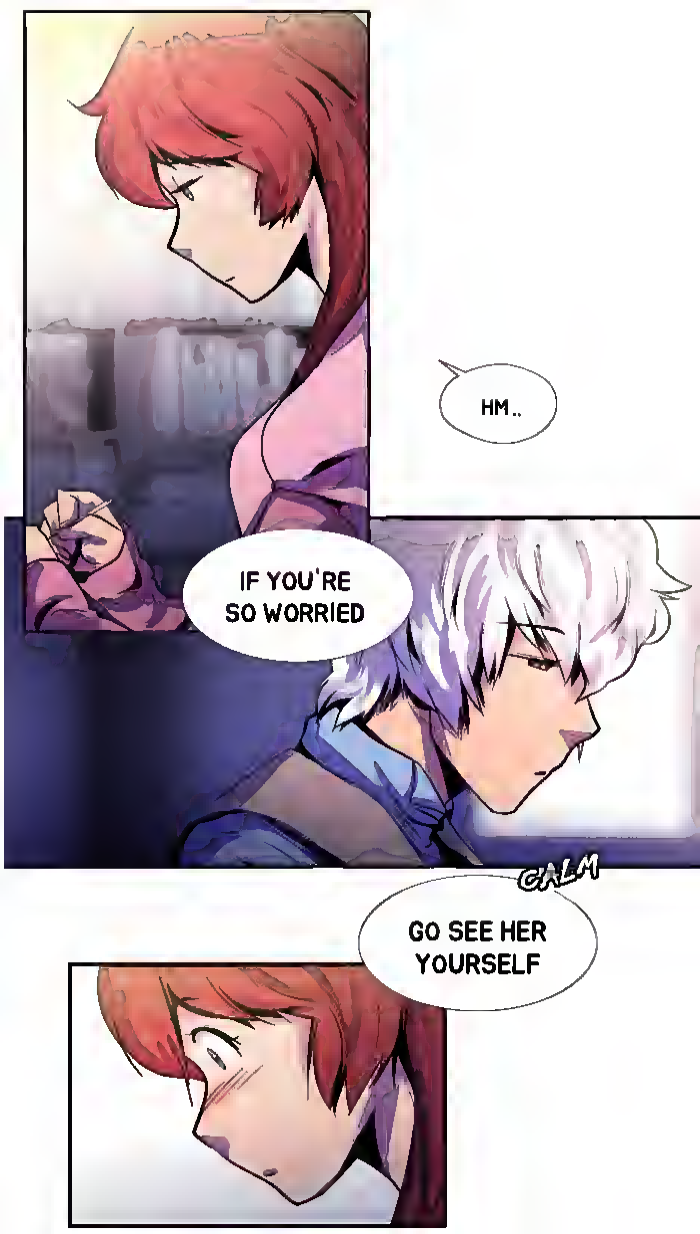
I'M SURE YOU DIDN'T DO ANYTHING TO DISGRACE OUR UNIVERSITY,
RIGHT?
OF COURSE, PROFESSOR SEO.


JUST AS GRUFF AS ALWAYS, PROFESSOR SEO
AHEM-
PROFESSOR CHUN'S STUDENTS SEEM SO FREE IN COMPARISON

SHE REFUSES TO GO TO SCHOOL....
WELL, IF NOT WANTING TO GO TO SCHOOL IS CONSIOEREO AN ABNORMALITY,
THAT WOULO MEAN THAT MOST OF HUMANITY IS MENTALLY ILL.
I'O LIKE TO TREAT SOMEONE WHO ACTUALLY LIKES GOING TO SCHOOL.
HAHA


IT'S HARD TO SAY- SINCE THERE ARE SO MANY DIFFERENT KINDS OF RECLUSIVE LONERS
THERE STILL ISN'T A CLEAR DISTINCTION BETWEEN THE NAMES IN THE FIELD OF PSYCHIATRY

BUT WHY'RE YOU ASKING ME ALL OF A SUDDEN?
FOCUS-
AH, THERE'S THIS STUDENT...
WHOM I USED TO TUTOR BEFORE...


HM..
IF YOU'RE SO WORRIED
CALM
GO SEE HER YOURSELF

THE TREASURE OF OUR PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT~
!?
=3
LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE BEEN DOING WELL

BY JONGBEOM LEE

BLACK WAVE(1)

PROFESSOR SONG HAS RETURNED FROM HER EXCHANGE PROGRAM ABROAD
GOOD TO HAVE YOU BACK
GOOD WORK, PROFESSOR
THANK YOU

HM,
IT'S ALWAYS
FRESH
THE SMELL OF
A CAMPUS FULL OF
STUDENTS CRAVING
KNOWLEDGE
NOW,